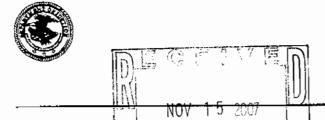
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## VIA FACSIMILE

The Honorable Richard J. Holwell United States District Court Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007

> Re: United States v. Coleson et al., 07 Cr. 789 (RJH)

Dear Judge Holwell:

Your Deputy informed me yesterday that the status conference for the above-captioned matter had been rescheduled to the week of December 10, 2007.

I have left telephone and email messages for each of the attorneys representing the six defendants in this case informing them that the status conference had been adjourned and seeking their consent to the exclusion of time until the next conference date. I have spoken with Ms. Priya Chaudhry and Ms. Susan Kellman (counsel to Mr. Coleson); Mr. Richard Lind (counsel to Mr. Henderson); and received an email from Mr. Goltzer (counsel to Ms. Washington) — all of who whom consented to the exclusion of time.

The Government respectfully requests that the Court set a control date of December 14, 2007, and exclude time pursuant to the Speedy Trial Act, Title 18, United States Code, Section 3161(h)(8)(A), until December 14, 2007. The ends of justice served by the continuance outweigh the interest of the public and the defendants in a speedy trial because the continuance will allow the defendants additional time to review the discovery materials that

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the Government produced and for the parties to continue discussions about a possible disposition of the case.

Respectfully submitted,

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